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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Naoki Shibata et al.

Serial No.: 09/985,927

Group Art Unit: 2826

Filed: November 6, 2001

Examiner: Sefer, Ahmed N.

For: GROUP III NITRIDE COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD  
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee for excess claims added by the amendment has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

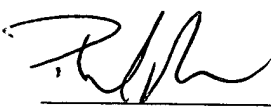
	<u>After Amendment</u>	<u>Prev. Paid for</u>	<u>Extra Claims Present</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Fee Due</u>
Total claims	20	20	0	18.00	\$0.00
Indep. claims	4	3	1	86.00	\$86.00
<b>Total Additional Fee for this Amendment</b>					<b>\$86.00</b>

A check in the amount of \$86.00 to cover the excess claim fee is attached hereto

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees or to credit any overpayment in fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: 10/9/03

  
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